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APPLICANTS : BURMEISTER et al.
 SERIAL NO. : 09/636,781
 FILED : 11 August 2000
 FOR : USE OF ISOCYANATES IN THE PREPARATION OF HIGHLY
 VISCOS SELF-ADHESIVE COMPOSITIONS
 ART UNIT : 1713
 EXAMINER : Rip A. Lee

14 June 2004

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated 16 March 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows as stated in the "Amendments to the Specification"; "Amendments to the Claims" and "Amendments to the Drawings" sections (as applicable) in this response.

CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

If entry and consideration of the amendments above requires an extension of time, Applicants respectfully request that this be considered a petition therefor. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee(s) due in this connection to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

ADDITIONAL FEE

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NOTE: A Notice of Appeal was previously filed on 13 August 2003. As such, \$320 has already been applied to the cost of filing the appeal.

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